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15 Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants request that citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

20 AA United States Patent No. 6,587,723
AB United States Patent Application Publication 2002/082650
AC United States Patent No. 6,148,234
AL European Application 1 155 712
AM European Application 1 155 711
25 AN PCT Application WO 0 174 441

EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

30 All of the above references were cited in the Search Report during earlier examination of the present PCT application, and reference AL also was cited by the Swedish Patent Office during examination of the corresponding Swedish application.

Copies of References AL, AM and AN are submitted herewith, together with Form 1449 on which all of the references are listed.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed simultaneously with the present application, and is therefore in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(a), and no fee is necessary.

5 All claims of the application are submitted to be patentable over the teachings of the above references, taken singly or in combination. Early consideration of the application is therefore respectfully requested.

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